

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

A Notice of Allowance was issued November 2, 2007, in which claims 2-6, 8, 10-11, and 16-21 were allowed. In this paper, claim 11 has been amended in order to clarify the claim terms and claims 10 and 11 have been amended to correct typographical errors. New claims 23-25 have been added. These claims are believed to be allowable over the references cited during prosecution of this application, as these cited references do not disclose or suggest the requirements of claims 23-25.

Each of the claims now pending in this application is believed to be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration of this case and early issuance of the Notice of Allowance are respectfully requested.

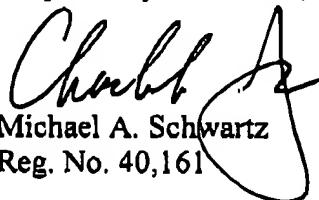
Additional Fees:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any insufficient fees or credit any overpayment associated with this application to Deposit Account No. 50-4047 (4191110228).

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, all of the Examiner's rejections to the claims are believed to be overcome. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and issuance of a Notice of Allowance for all the claims remaining in the application. Should the Examiner feel further communication would facilitate prosecution, is urged to call the undersigned at the phone number provided below.

Respectfully Submitted,


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